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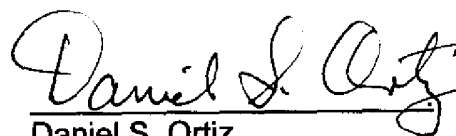
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Sir:

Applicants herewith respectfully request status of Case C 2692 PCT/US, Serial Number 10/523,278, for which they filed an Information Disclosure Statement on November 29, 2005.

Respectfully submitted,



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